LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Conservation Auditorium, 1st Floor, State Land & Natural Resources Building, 625 North 4th Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m., on **TUESDAY, AUGUST 15, 2000**, upon the application of **MIDROC OPERATING COMPANY**.

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Upper Cotton Valley Zone**, **Reservoir A**, in the Unionville Field, Union Parish, Louisiana.

- 1. To establish one (1) $160 \pm$ acre drilling and production unit for the exploration for and the production of oil and gas for the Upper Cotton Valley Zone, Reservoir A, such unit being designated UCV RA SUA.
- 2. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property within the proposed unit in accordance with Section, 10, Title 30, of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, with each tract to share in the unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
- 3. To designate Midroc Operating Company as the unit operator of the proposed UCV RA SUA and their Brasher 28-8 No. 1 Well as the unit well.
- 4. To provide for future wells to be drilled for the Upper Cotton Valley Zone, Reservoir A, be located at least 330 feet from unit lines and 1,000 feet between wells.
- 5. To provide that the Commissioner of Conservation shall be authorized to reclassify the Upper Cotton Valley Zone, Reservoir A, by supplemental order without the necessity of a public hearing if the producing characteristics of the reservoir change and evidence to justify such reclassification is submitted to and accepted by the Commissioner of Conservation.
- 6. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Upper Cotton Valley Zone, Reservoir A, in the Unionville Field, Union Parish, Louisiana, is to be defined as that oil and gas bearing formation encountered between the depths of 7,600' and 8,000' (ELM) in the Midroc Operating Company - Brazer 28-8 No. 1 Well, located in Section 28, Township 20 North, Range 1 West.

A plat is available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Shreveport**, Louisiana. All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

PHILIP N. ASPRODITES COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

Baton Rouge, La 7/12/00;7/15/00

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TEN (10) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.